



PROVO'S CENTER STREET, looking east in photo believed to have been taken near the turn of the century. Note utility poles up middle of street.

A few horses and buggies, but nary an automobile in sight. Dominant building at right with tall tower was the Provo Meeting House (Old Tabernacle), torn down in 1918-19. The tower of the Old Fire Hall

on the present County Building Block can be seen to the east, across the street from the present location of Paramount Theatre.



A MIGHTY FINE-LOOKING outfit was this early - day Provo Fire Department, photographed in front of the old Fire Station

facing north on the present County Block. The first Provo Fire Department was established in 1890.



From 1849 to the Present

Provo: Glimpses From Pages of History

Here is a chronology of happenings in Provo since its founding in 1849. The list isn't all-inclusive, of course; nor does it even presume to include every

on action by Judge John Cradlebaugh, a judicial appointee to the Territory, to station federal troops in Provo as a "walking calaboose" while the Lewis Hall at Third West and Center. Upon recommendation of Robert L. Campbell, territorial schools superintendent, this became the Timpanogos Branch

sidewalk paving was to come in 1898, with concrete walks introduced here in 1901.)

1880 — Provo was selected by the Legislature as site for the